

**NAVIGATION TOOL FOR ACCESSING WORKSPACES AND MODULES IN A
GRAPHICAL USER INTERFACE**

Abstract of the Invention

A method and system for displaying information related to a plurality of resources

5 in a network environment. The system uses web technology to receive and store information related to back-end resources and to provide a framework by which client computer systems can manage the plurality of back-end resources in a uniform manner.

In accordance with one embodiment, a method is employed in a computer system for selecting the visual arrangement of workspaces and modules in a network management

10 console GUI. The console includes a first zone and a second zone. The method involves receiving a list of workspace names and, in response, displaying an explorer tool including the list of workspace names in the first zone. Upon indication from a user that a first workspace name from the list of workspace names has been selected, a first workspace associated with the first workspace name is displayed in the second zone.

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